Store Closes Daily at 5 P. M. Saturdays, 6 P. M.

Miller & Rhoads

Mail Orders Filled at Advertised Prices

Women's Handbags, 25°

We secured several lots of Handbags this week at greatly reduced prices.

They are the over-stock of a big jobbing house, willing to close out at a sacrifice.

The Bags go on sale this morning, and without question are the best values of the summer.

Wash Bags, in Wash Bags, in regular value and white and colors, white and colors, price 50c and 75c, regular prices 50c regular price \$1.00, and 75c, now

25c

39c

GOVERNOR NAMES MR. J. B. T. THORNTON

Prince William Man to Preside Over Courts of Sixteenth

MB. EGGLESTON RETURNS

Superintendent Has Been Study ing School Laws and Reports on Vacation.

Governer Swanson yesterday appointed Hon. J. B. T. Thornton, of Prince William, Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Charles E. Nicol, and the later resignation of Judge Charles E. Olive The Governor uniformly stated that he thought the counties composing the district, everything else being equal, should have the judgeship in preference to the city, as the city of Alexandria has a corporation judge of its own selection to try all causes therand do all of the administrative werk. The Legislature has uniformly given it to the counties in preference to the counties, and, as the power of appointment resides in the Legislature how the following the district, everything else the proposed by the Legislature hereofore ought to the counties in preference expressed by the Legislature hereofore ought to have weight with him. Mr. Thornton was indorsed by a large majority of the bar in the counties composing the district. The appointment of Mr. Thornton takes effect September 1st, and the matter could not be delayed, as it was precessary for him to prepare to hold.

ember, he commission of Judge Thornton forwarded to him last night. His competitor for the appointment Mr. J. M. Johnson, of Alexandría

Mr. Eggleston Returns.

Hon. Joseph D. Eggleston, Jr., Superntendent of Public Instruction, reurned to the city yesterday from his
tome in Prince Edward county, where
te has been spending several weeks,
dr. Eggleston came down to attend
he meeting of the State Board of Eduation, spent some time at his desk
turing the day looking after official
matters.

shipped to his home, and has spent a good deal of time in going over them. He had before him the annual reports of the Virginia schools since their foundation and those of hearly every other. State in the Union. He has read every Virginia report from 1870 to 1900, in order to get a bird's-eye view of the growth of the school system in Virginia and to note the views and recommendations of his predecessors. In addition to this, Mr. Eggleston has been looking into the reports of other States to see what they have been doing in hehalf of public education, in order to make intelligent recommendations to the coming session of the Legislature. During Mr. Eggleston's eighteen months of incumbency of the office he has made infly-four visits to forty-three counties and cities in Virginia, and has made seventy-five speeches in the interest of better schools. He is on seven boards or State institutions, and has attended from one to three meetings of each.

Automobile Meet,
Secretary of the Commonwealth D. Q.
Egglesion has received an invitation to
attend an automobile meet at the Richmond Hotel on August 28th, at 9 P. M.
The object of the meet is to elect officers and to permanently organize a
club. Refreshments will be served
after the husiness session is over.
Mr. Eggleston, as Secretary of the
Commonwealth, issues all licenses for
automobiles, and is familiar with the
Virginia laws governing the ownership
and operation of the machines.
Mr. Patrick Henry Sweet, treasurer
of New Kent county, was a caller at
the State Library yesterday.
Colonel Robert Catlett, Ausstant Attorney-General, returned to the city
yesterday from his home in Rockbridge
county, where he went to attend the

FEED YOUR BODY WISELY

Grape Nuts

FOOD "There's a Reason"

NEW CLUB NEARLY READY TO OPEN

of Richmond Building Near-

SCHOFIELD SAID TO HAVE LEFT TOWN

Pawned Watch Bought on Instalment Plan and Sold Ticket.

GERMAN PICNIC A GREAT SUCCESS

Two Days' of Enjoyment at Oak Grove, Near Reser-

The German picnic, which has been celebrated for the past two days at Oak Grove, near the Reservoir, has had a fine attendance, notwithstanding the inclement weather for a part of the time yesterday.

Wednesday night a considerable crowd stayed at the grounds until after 11 o'clock, enjoying the dancing and must. The feature of yesterday was an immense Brunswick stew, served from 4 P. M. to 11 P. M. The ladies of St. Ann's Society had charge of the refreshments, and have made a great reputation by their cooking and attractive service.

The fair was conducted for the benefit of St. Mary's German Church.

Woman Paid Two Fines.

Surprised, but Paid Up.

Report of Committee on Frateunia discretify a colored woman, charged with cursing several policement and with general discretify excellent and with general discretified and colored with the Craves after hearing the cyclence and with the Graves after hearing the cyclence and with extension of the opinion that she was crazy.

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COMMISSION CONVENTION TROUBLE ON LINE LEADERS IN INSURANCE



DARWIN PRINGSLEY.

Organization's Quarters in Bank WILL MEET HERE

Arrangements Completed for Thirty-Eighth Convention of Insurance Commissioners,

SESSIONS AT THE JEFFERSON

Colonel Joseph Button, Chair man Executive Committee, and Other Speakers.

cutive committee, which body has full harge of the program and all arrange charge of the program and all arrangements for the meeting, and the following are his colleagues on the committee: George H. Adams, Commissioner of Insurance, Concord, N. H.; Reau E. Folk, Insurance Commissioner, Nashville, Tenn.; J. J. Brinkerhoff, Actuary, Springfield, Ill.; B. F. Crouse, Insurance Commissioner, Maryland; F. L. Cutting, Commissioner of Insurance, Massachusetts; A. C. Scherr, State Auditor, West Virginia; H. R. Cunningham, State Auditor, Montana,

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

First Day, Tuesday, September 17th,
MORNING SESSION, 10 O'CLOCK,
Called to order by the president,
Address of welcome by Hon, Claude
A. Swanson, Governor of Virginia,
Response by the vice-president, Hon,
Reau E. Folk, State Treasurer and Insurance Commissioner of Tennessee,
Address by the president, General
George H. Adams, Insurance Commissioner of New Hampshire,
Roll call.
Report of Committee on Credentials,
Reading of minutes of thirty-seventh
annual session.

Announcement by the president of appointments to fill vacancies on committees.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

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Address, "The Future of Life Insurance," Hon. Darwin P. Kingsley, president of the New York Life Insurance Company.

Address, "Life Insurance Legislation Adopted in Various States Within the Past Two Years," Hon. B. F. Crouse, Insurance Commitssioner of Maryland. Report of Committee on Laws and Legislation. Discussion.

Second Day, Wednesday, September 18th.

Address, "Government Regulation of Insurance in Germany," Colonel Frederick L. Hofman, statistician of Prudential Insurance Company, Newark, N. Address, "The Function of Actuaries.

N. J.
Address, "The Function of Actuaries in State Supervision," Mr. Miles M. Dawson, of New York.
Report of Committee on Plates of Mortality and Interest, Discussion,
Report of Committee on Assets of Insurance Companies, Discussion,
AFTERNOON SESSION,

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Address, "Limitation of Risks to be Assumed by Surety Companies," Mr. John R. Bland, president of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, of Baltimore.

Address, "Fidelity and Surety Reserves," Mr. S. H. Wolfe, of New York, Report of Committee on Reserves Giver Than Life. Discussion.

Report of Committee on Blanks, Discussion.



RAILROAD Y. M. C. A.

Plans Filed With Building Inspector by Philadelphia Ar-

Some Other Permits.

Some other Fermits.

Serial Northrop and Wickham, rers for the Passenger and Power
than, submitted plans yesterday
he erection of a brick paint and
r shop for the use of the comat the Reservoir car barrs, the
being \$1,000. The plans were wordt was granted Chief of Police or for the erection of stables in ar of the First Police Station at

Fireworks at Idlewood.

large crowd, considering the lactoment her visited filewood last night, and who went out were well repaid for trip, as they witnessed a benutiful chinic display. The set-piece, repress St. John's Church, was quite unique, the other set pieces and the myriads rial explosives including the giant were very pretty.

In performances in the onen-air theatre much enjoyed, Ameta, the dainty little it laza and Lorella, and the Rinaides, and many friends to their large list of level through their claver work.

TO WESTHAMPTON

Shall All-Day Cars Go All the Way to the

QUESTION OF THE COURT

What Did the Judge Mean by the End of the Line?

The action of the Board of Super

LIMIT NUMBER OF PAWNBROKERS

Judge Witt Decides That No More Licenses Can Be Granted.

Most, if not all, of those who attend will go to the Jamestonne Exposition before returning to their homes. Following is the program arranged by the executive committee:

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Called to order by the president. Address of welcome by Hon. Claude. A Swanson, Governor of Virginia, Response by the vice-president, Hon. Stream, Commissioner of Tennesses. George H. Address, The Future of Life Insurance Committees on Credentials, Reading of minutes on the President of appointments to fill vacancies on constitutes.

To Improve Bank Building. Reading of minutes on Credentials, Reading of minutes of their yeventh annual session.

Announcement by the president of appointments to fill vacancies on constitutes. Announcement of the Insurance Committees on Credentials, Reading of minutes of thirty-seventh annual session.

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clored Newsles to Contest for Ten Dollars in Coppers.

in Coppers.

The colored Shriners' carnival of fire closed at Magnolia Park last night to give way for a more exciting seene that will come off there to morrow. There will be a liftge gathering of all the newsboys, and ten dollars will be changed up into pennies and thrown up for scramble.

The word about the "penny feast" is being quietly passed around among the news urthing down-town.

COLORED LABOR DAY.

Committée Arrange Manimoth Exquesion to Jamestown on Steamer Roseane.

There was a largely-attended meeting of prominent colored men held yesterday to arrange for the colored Labor Day celebration at Jamestown The large steambout "Rosedale" has been secured for the occasion. Sager Jones is head of the committee at this end.

bends, were very pretty.

The performances in the open-air theatre were much enjoyed, Amera, the dainty little darcert irza and hereila, and the Rinaldes, bedding any friends to their large list of adhirevs through their clever work.

Memorial Services.

On Sunday evening at 8 o'clock a memorial service will be held in the Salvation that the memory of profitted Comrade for see Schelas. It is hoped that all the fact will see the comrades the contrade of the remarkable intia present to hear of the remarkable intia present to hear of the remarkable intia present contrade life had in Maneapolis.

WE HAVE THE STOCK. THE PRICES ARE RIGHT.

RUGS, RUGS,

RUGS

Rugs of all sizes and prices. Pretty Rugs at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$45. Every one of them extra good values.

FURNITURE, CARPETS. STOVES

FOURTH&BROAD STS., RICHMOND, VA.

urthouse, and was performed by the Rev.

Crismond of this place.
The bride is a sister of Miss Foster, of DAIRYMEN ERECT.

888 Albemarle Street, Richmond.

Hon. D. C. O'Flaherty Explains the Runaway in Clarke portance of care and cleanniess, is again directing the attention of consumers to the necessity of providing clean jars and cans to be used in the County.

Fresh Soda or Ginger Snaps, per pound, - - 4 1-2c Half-pound can Veal Loaf, 5c

Half-pound can veat Loar, oct1-lb, can Corned Beef. 10e
Ported Ham or Tongue. 4e
2-tlb, cans Beef. 20e
3 cans Chipped Beef. 25e
1-lb, can Ham Loaf 15e
Best American Granulated
Sugar, per pound 5e
New Clipped Herring, per
dozen 10e
New Cnilfornia Prunes 5e
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2 lbs. Mountain Roll Butter for 256 5-string Broom 206 3-string Broom 156 Large, Juley Lemons, per doz 18c Good Lard, per grund 10c Tomitoes in cans for soup 5c Whole Grain Carolina Ries, per pound 76 Maerrout or Spinghett, per

1820-22 East Main Street. 506 East Marshall Street. Phones at Each Store.

COOLING HOUSES

Thirty-Five Built in July, According to Board of Health's Order.

IMPROVING THE

Health Department Urges Cleanliness on Part of Con-

his milk in bottles, it is best to have him deliver it directly to you or your servant, and you should see that it is put on ice immediately and kept cold.

"The practice of putting out an uncovered pitcher or other vessel for milk the night before cannot be too strongly condemned.

"Such a pitcher or vessel, exposed to the dust and dirt of the street, will collect thousands of germs be-

"Such a pitcher or vessel, exposed to the dust and dirt of the street, will collect thousands of germs before the milk is put into it. Many of these may be dargerous to life and health, besides which they will certainly cause the milk to sour in a short time and become unfit for use. The purest milk received in such a vessel may become as bad in a few hours as the worst milk from a dirty farm.

"If you are compelled to stand out a vessel to receive your milk, provide yourself with several glass preserve jars, which should be used for this purpose only. They should be kept well washed and aired, as above described. Get jars with clamp tops. Those with screw tops are hard to keep properly cleansed. Do not use the rubber ring which comes with most jars, as it is difficult to skeep clean, and the jar will be well-length, tight without it. cult to keep clean, and the jar will be sufficiently tight without it

Fruit Supper.

A merry party of young people par-ticipated in a "fruit supper" at Forest Hill Park on Tuesday evening, Games of all kinds were played and then the party was invited to the table, where fruits of all kinds were en-

Joyed.

Those in the party were Misses Janie Hix, Loveday Overton, Willie Schenck, Ruth Farrar, Margaret Wilson, Susie Hix, Ethel Overton; Messrs, Preston Belvin, Benjamin Puryear, Doran Noment, Russell Proctor, With Hix, Willie Goode, Charlie Overton and Herbert Witt. The young people were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hix, Mr. and Mrs. Joyerton, Coverton, Coverto

Dr. Levy in Maine.
Dr. H. H. Levy with his wife, daughter and their friend, Miss Florence Mayer, are enjoying the beauties of Kennebunkport. Me. and the surrounding country. The party expect to return to Richmond about September 4th.

Dr. Steel Back.